

Welcome to the Nougat quick introduction guide to some of the new features specific to Android Nougat 7.0! In this guide, we are going to walk through:

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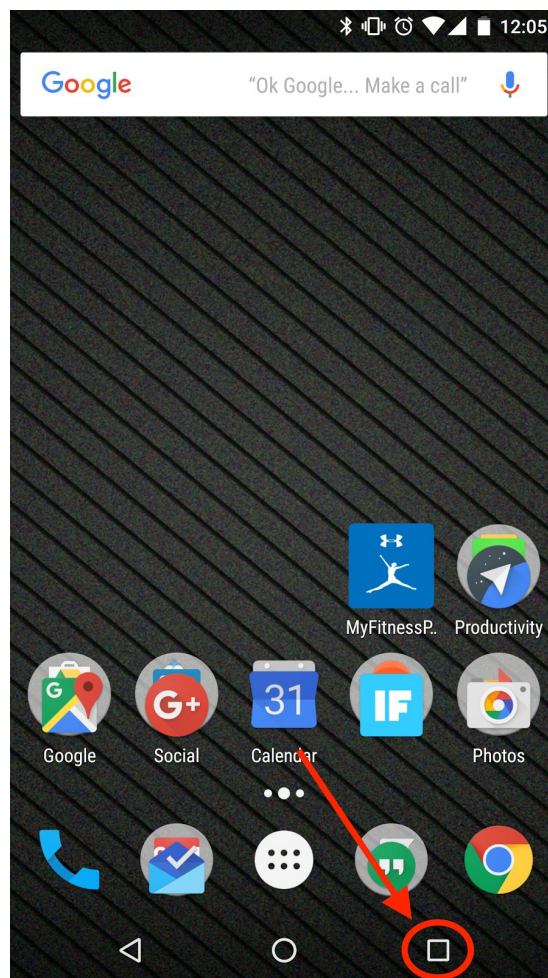
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#### **Multi screen/window --**

One of the most widely talked about features is the ability of multi-window support to now run two applications on your device at the same time! This will work on phones and tablets, in vertical or horizontal modes.

To enable multi-screen/window mode:

***\*Have at least one application running\* > long press the square or right navigation button seen here:***

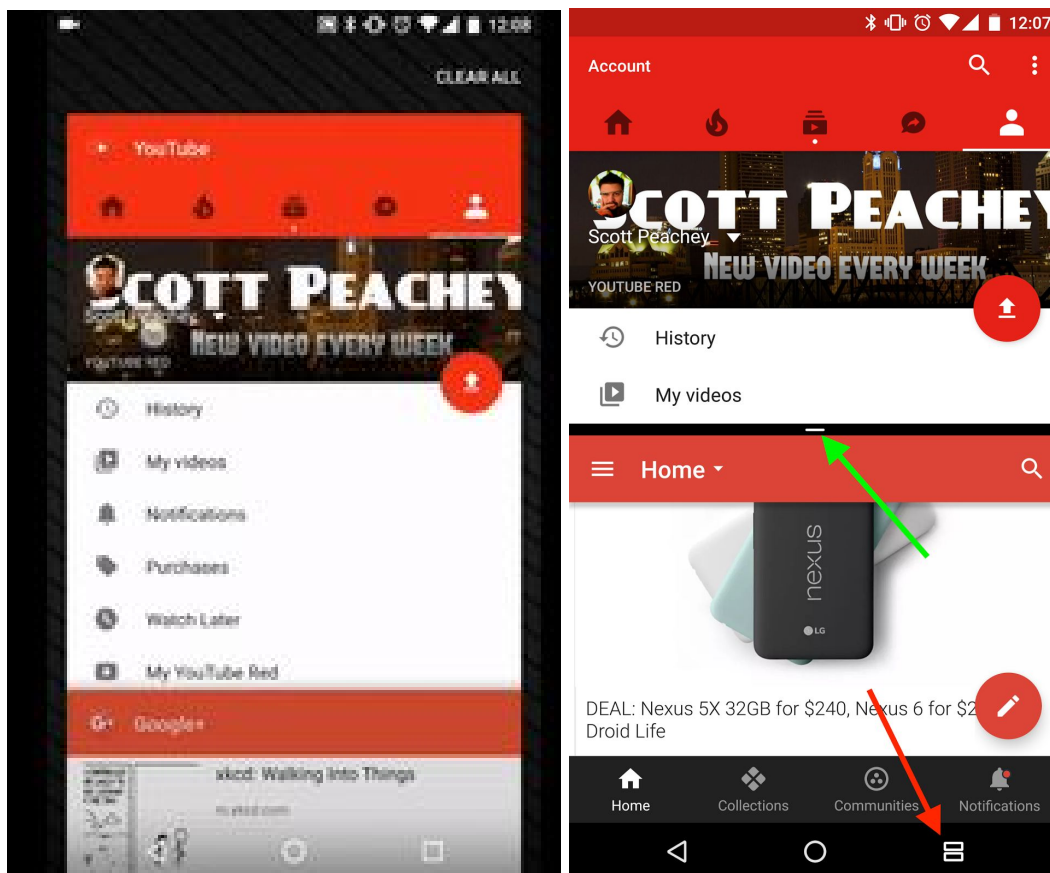


Once you have long pressed the right navigation button, you will be able to select the applications you want to show in the multi-windows. Much the same as a single window, you can switch between applications while maintaining multi-windows. Simply use the right navigation button to switch to the application you're looking to use.

In vertical mode, the top window will remain static. In order to have a specific application remain at the top, make sure that application is displayed on the screen before enabling the multi-window.

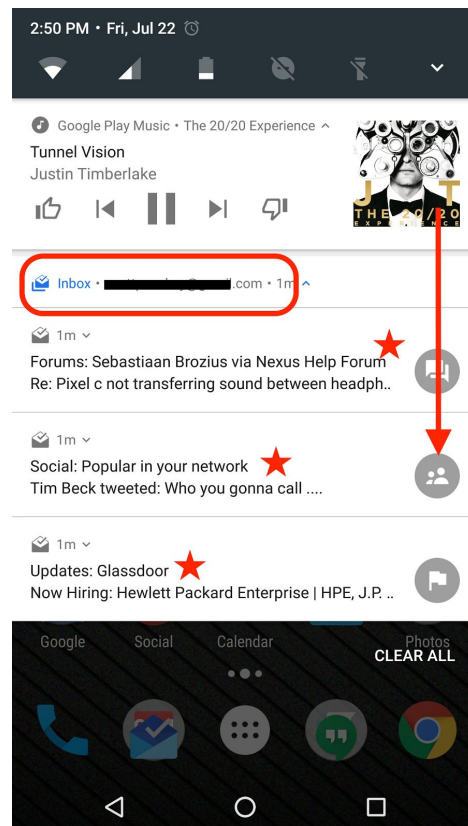
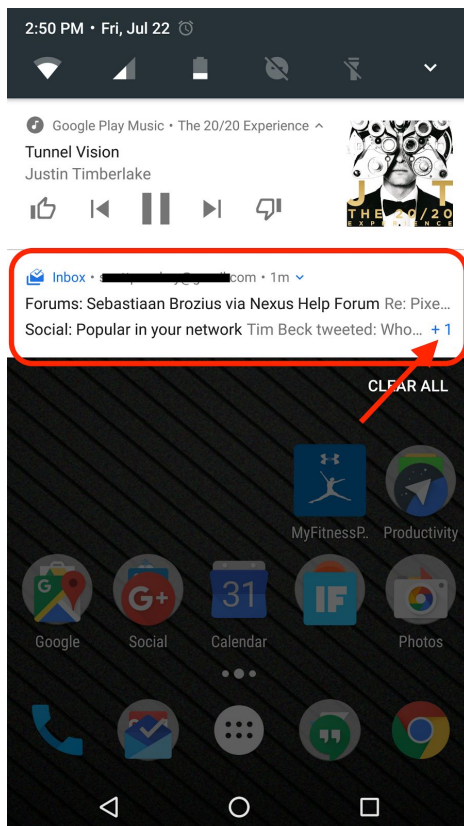
Another cool feature in that in vertical mode, you can **resize** the windows by dragging the center line (see green arrow in picture) up and down.

To go back to a single window mode, simply long press the right navigation button (see red arrow in picture above).



## Bundled notifications

Bundled notifications are another great new feature in Nougat! Rather than have your notification shade cluttered with 654654 individual notifications for each message, Nougat bundles multiple notifications together. If you need to see more information on notifications, you can expand the notification group by a swipe down within the notification shade.

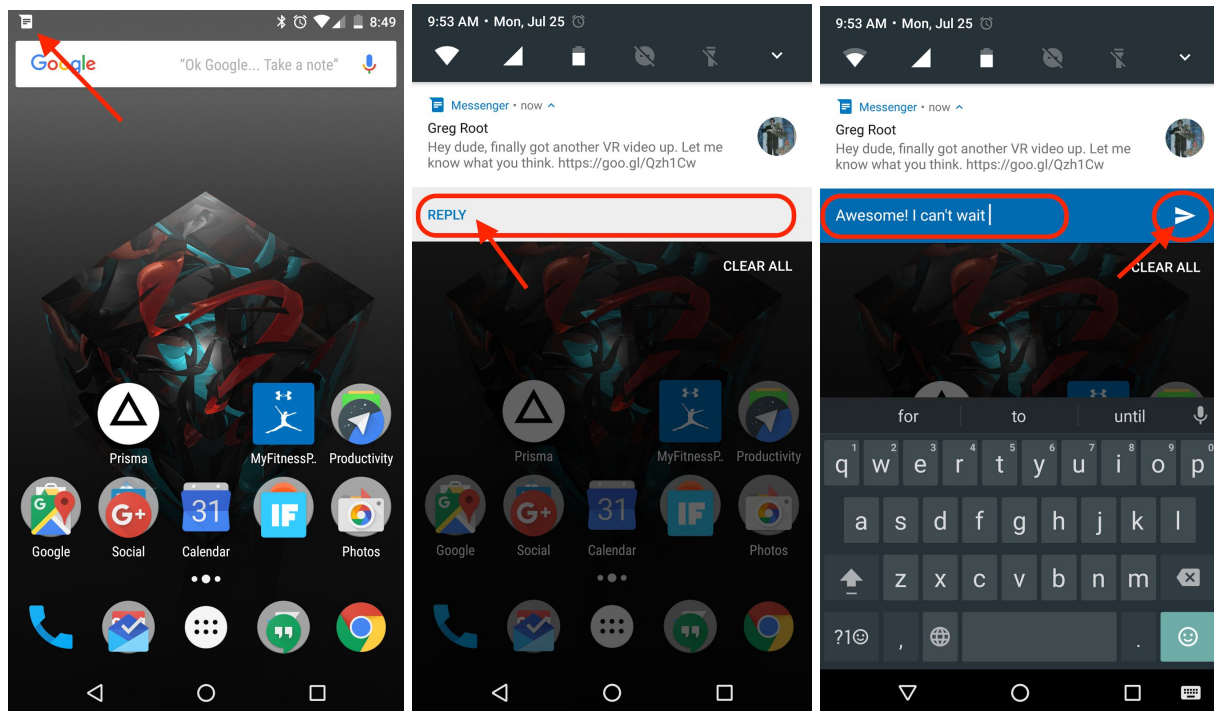


## Direct Reply

Looking to quickly respond to a Google Hangout, or text message? Direct reply is new in Nougat, which gives you the ability to respond directly within the notification shade!

In order to use direct reply:

**Pull down on the message in question and hit 'reply.'** After you have typed your message, simply press the send arrow on the right and your message is sent -- without leaving the current application!

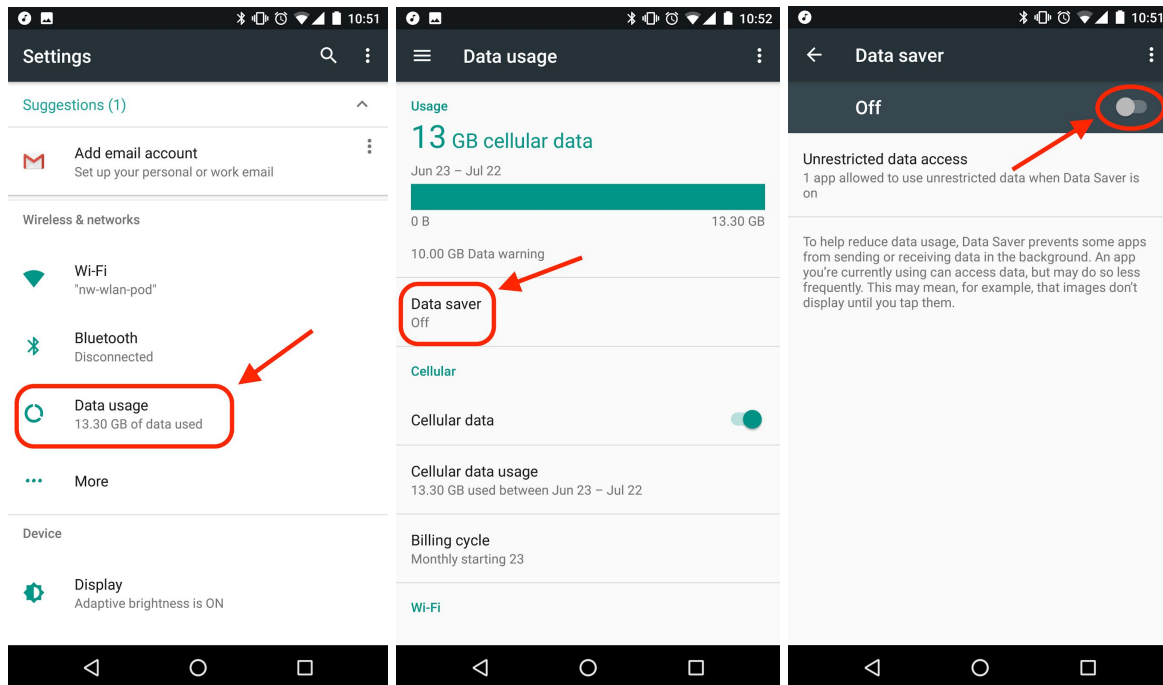


## Data Saver!

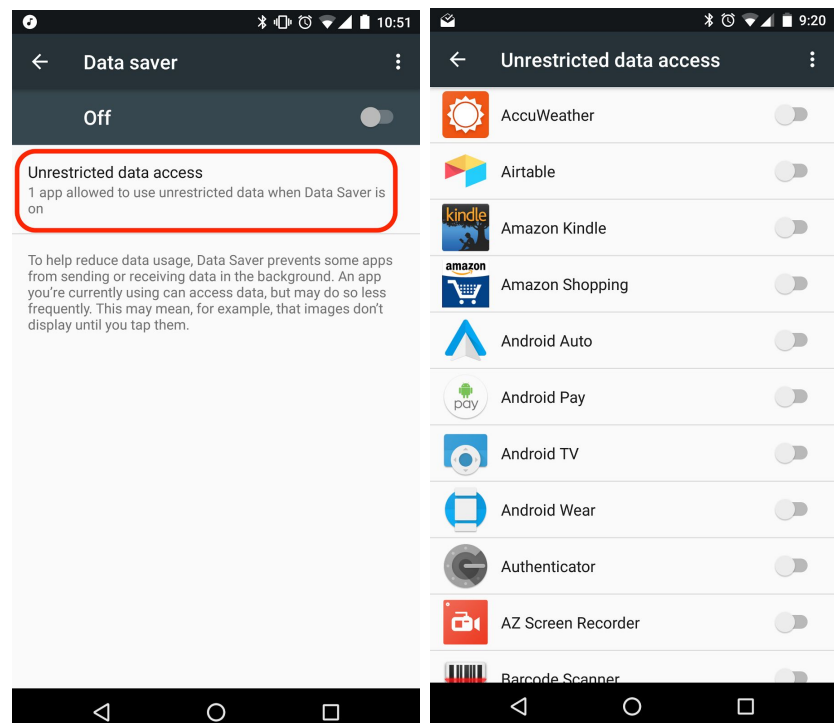
If looking to reduce your cellular data usage, Data Saver was meant for you! The Data Saver feature will restrict background data usage and tell applications to use less data in the foreground wherever possible. Of course, if you need certain applications to always have access to data -- e.g., Inbox by Gmail -- you can whitelist those applications to be ignored by Data Saver.

Data Saver is located:

**Settings > Data Usage > Data Saver**



While you're within an app, you will be using data, however, when you're not actively using that app, the Data Saver option will reduce the amount of data that app 'requests.' Again, if you need an app to always have access to data, you can allow apps unrestricted data access with a simple toggle.





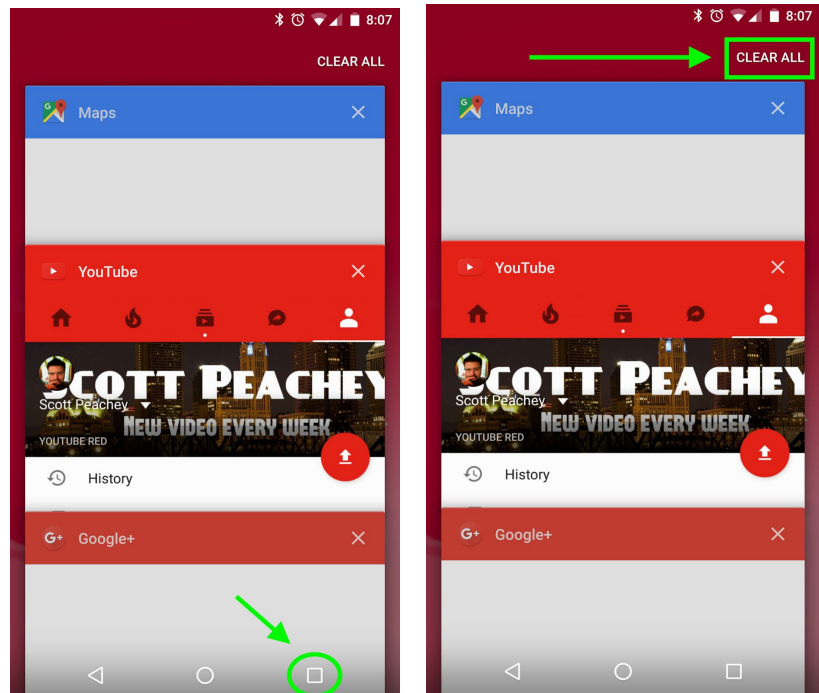
## App Maintenance - Clear all app and fast app switching!

Are you tired of clearing each open application one by one? Android Nougat now has a clear all applications option!

To use the **clear all feature**:

**Press the overview button (bottom right soft key) > scroll up to the top of all your open applications > Clear all**

With that simple press all the applications you had open will be swiped away in Nougaty goodness!



**Fast app switching** allows a user flip between open applications with a simple double tap on one button! Rather than multiple key presses, or potentially swiping away an app on accident, fast app switching will get you back to apps faster, and with less presses!

To navigate from a current app to a previous app, all you need is two quick presses of the overview button (bottom right soft key)!

